## Think together

(1) On Saturday the boat makes 7 trips. It uses $\frac{1}{3}$ of a tank of fuel for each trip. How many tanks of fuel are used on Saturday?
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2 A fishing boat offers fishing trips. During each trip the boat travels $1 \frac{2}{5} \mathrm{~km}$. How far does the boat travel in 4 trips? Work out the answer using both methods.


Method I
$\square \times 4=\square$


The boat travels



Method 2


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a) Complete the multiplications.
$\frac{1}{4} \times 2=\frac{2}{4} \quad \frac{1}{6} \times 5=\frac{5}{6}$
$\frac{1}{4} \times 3=\frac{3}{4}$

$\frac{1}{4} \times 5=\frac{\square}{\square}$

$\frac{1}{4} \times 9=\frac{\square}{\square}$


What patterns do you notice?
Can you find a quick way to get the answers?

I notice something between the numerator of the fraction, the whole number and the numerator of the final answer.

b) Find three fractions that multiply by a whole number to make these numbers.
$\frac{5}{8}$
$\frac{10}{9}$
I $\frac{1}{5}$

